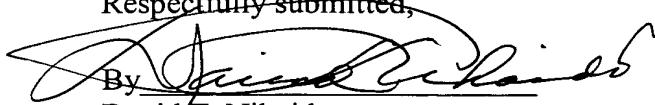


REMARKS

The amendment has been submitted to put the application in better condition for examination. No new matter has been added.

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